The Women's Studies Program puts out a monthly newsletter for Women's Studies faculty and staff. If there are any announcements or information you would like to have included in the newsletter, please get the material to us by the deadline. The deadline for the next issue of the newsletter is January 21, 1983. We would like to see the newsletter operate as a forum and we welcome responses to the bag lunch talks or discussions of Women's Studies issues in general.

More information on any item in the newsletter is available in the Women's Studies Program Office, 307A Dimond Library. Office hours are Mondays, 8:00 – 2:00; Tuesdays through Fridays, 9:00 – 3:30.

Members of the Women's Studies staff include Cathryn Adamsky, Kathy Criswell, Maria Drozd, Connie Buzzell Ettori, Jan Schaffer and Darlene Young.

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**CALENDAR**

December 14  
Women's Studies Bag Lunch: Film: Never Give Up  
Imogen Cunningham. Hillsboro-Sullivan Room, MUB.  
12:30 – 2:00 p.m.

**Time of Bag Lunch**

In order to (hopefully) accommodate more people's schedules and to provide more time for the presentations, the bag lunch was shifted this year from Wednesdays, 12:00 - 1:00, to the Tuesday free period time, 12:30 - 2:00. Since I wasn't sure this was a good move, I took a poll of people on our general mailing list. An earthshaking twelve people responded: eight felt Tuesday was a better time; for four, Wednesday was better. By "popular demand", we will stay with Tuesday for now, from 12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. If anyone has suggestions for a better time, please contact me.

*Cathryn Adamsky*
Education 410 - Women and Education (4 credits)

The new course, Women and Education has been approved. There are no prerequisites. It will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30-11:00, in Murkland 203. The instructors are Professors Corcoran and Franzosa of the Education Department.

The course will provide students with an opportunity to study the education of women and girls from a broad range of perspectives. Students will examine educational goals, practices and experiences as they pertain to women, their education, their status, and their role.

Students who wish to sign up for the course should call the Education Department (862-2310) or stop by Morrill 203.

English 820 - Sociolinguistic Problems of Sexist Language

A study of recent writings on sexist language as an example of the relationship of language and society. Open without prerequisite to any graduate student in the Department of English. Other graduate students should obtain permission of the instructor.

Mondays, 4:00-6:30 Hamilton-Smith 53 Professor Karl Diller

Summer School: Women's Studies 401 - Introduction to Women's Studies

W.S. 401 will be offered this summer from June 13 to July 8. It will be taught by Sarah Sherman of the English Department. (Women's Studies Faculty: Please inform your students that this course will be offered.)

GENERAL NEWS

The Department of Social Service has the following tapes available. To check them out for use, speak to Mrs. Bailey, the Office Secretary, or call 862-1799.

1. Being Your Own Age
2. Black Women in the Women's Movement
3. Chicana Feminism
4. Feminism and the Feminist Movement: A Reassessment
5. Growing Old in California
6. How Old Are You Now?
7. Lady: The Image of Women
8. Maureen Reagan at the National Press Club
9. Mothers and Daughters
10. The Other Generation Gap
11. Re-Entry Women: The Return to Campus
12. Strangers at Home
13. Susan B. Anthony
14. Waiting Around to Die
15. Women and Work
16. Women in Mid-Life Crisis
17. Women in the Coal Mines
18. Women of Achievement: Estelle Ramey

"Ralph Waldo Emerson says, "Men are what their mothers made them."
But I say, to hold mothers responsible for the characteristics of
their sons while you deny them any control over the surroundings of
their lives, is worse than mockery, it is cruelty! Responsibilities
grow out of rights and powers. Therefore, before mothers can be
held responsible for the vices and crimes, the wholesale demoralization
of men, they must possess all possible rights and powers to control
the conditions and circumstances of their own and their children's
lives.

Susan B. Anthony

On Tuesday, February 8, 1983, the Women's Studies Program and the
UNH Women's Center will cosponsor a workshop and lecture by Judith
Arcana, author of Our Mothers' Daughters (Shameless Hussy Press, 1979)
and Every Mother's Son (Doubleday, 1982). The workshop, entitled
"Mothers and Daughters: A Quest" will be held from 2:00 to 4:00 in
the Hillsboro-Sullivan Room of the MUB; attendance will be limited
to twenty four. The evening lecture, "Every Mother's Son: the Role
of Mothers in the Making of Men", will be held at 7:30 in the Forum
Room of the Library.

A REMINDER...

The Women's Studies Program office, 307A Dimond Library, maintains
a library of books and resource files on issues of interest to
women and women's studies research. There is also a file of grants
and fellowships available to women.
UNH FACTS:

Of 1771 engineering students, 177 are women.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

Women, Fascism and Everyday Life in Germany: An International Conference will be held April 28-30, 1983 at the Fawcett Center, Ohio State University. For more information, write to Professor Helen Fehervary, Attention: Conference, Department of German, Dieter Cunz Hall 314, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

Third Annual Aegean Women's Studies Institute: Women Studies in Greece; also, International Institute of Women's Studies in Israel. Both will be held in the summer of 1983. For more information, contact the Office of International Travel Study, Department of Continuing Education, San Jose State University, Washington Square, San Jose, California 95192.

Women's Education: The Future, sponsored by Stephens College, will be held February 15-18, 1983. For more information: Symposium on Women's Education, Box 2152, Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri 65215.

At the Foot of the Mountain, a women's theater group which has received national acclaim for its artistic excellence and bold experimentation, will offer an eight week summer workshop, July 2 through August 28, 1983. For more information, write to: At the Foot of the Mountain, 2000 South 5th Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55454.

"Tillie Olsen Symposium: The Writer and Society", will be offered March 21-26, 1983. For more information, contact Lois Jecklin, Visiting Artists Inc., 2717 Nichols Lane, Davenport, Iowa 52803.

The Women's Studies Program at the University of Illinois at Chicago Circle will host a three-week institute in July 1983 to assist instructors in incorporating material on minority women into interdisciplinary courses. Contact Peg Strobel, Women's Studies, 4075C BSB, University of Illinois at Chicago Circle, Box 4348, Chicago, Illinois 60680.

RECOMMENDED READING:

Women and Poverty - a four page research summary available from the Business and Professional Women's Foundation, 2012 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036; cost: $1.00. This is an excellent summary of the economic situation of women and would be very useful for Women's Studies classes.
GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS

Wilson (Woodrow) Women's Studies Research Grants are available to those candidates who have completed requirements for their Ph.D. with the exception of their dissertation. The purpose is to encourage original and significant research on topics about women. For further information, write to Women's Studies Department, 1336 Wilson (Woodrow) National Fellowship Foundation, P.O. Box 642, Princeton, New Jersey 08540.

The Wellesley College Center for Research on Women invites applications for its 1983-1984 Faculty Development Program. From 1982 until 1985, the Center is assisting in three ways with the incorporation of new scholarship on women into traditional liberal arts courses and disciplines:

1. The National Consulting Program provides matching funds to college presidents or deans who engage consultants to help their faculty integrate materials on women into the main undergraduate curriculum.

2. The New England Regional Seminar Program will provide stipends for faculty within driving distance of Wellesley to participate in monthly interdisciplinary seminars.

3. The National Fellowship Program provides approximately five one-semester fellowship awards each year for scholars who have been involved in programs or writing projects to integrate materials on women into the traditional curriculum and/or scholars who have been involved in Minority Women's Studies.

For information and forms, write: Peggy McIntosh, Director, Faculty Development Program, Wellesley College Center for Research on Women, Wellesley, Massachusetts 02181.

CALL FOR PAPERS


SUSAN B. ANTHONY DINNER

The YWCA of Manchester will sponsor a Susan B. Anthony Dinner on February 15, 1983. The speaker will be Kathleen Barry, author of Female Sexual Slavery. The cost is $14.00 per person. For reservations, contact Emily Moore, Liberal Arts Advising Center, 862-2064.
Test your knowledge...

(from Forum: A Women's Studies Quarterly, University of Cincinnati, Fall, 1982, Volume 9, No. 1)

The statements below were made by women political figures and/or commentators. Can you match each with its author? Answers are on page 7.

1. "Men their rights and nothing more; women their rights and nothing less."
2. "I am a candidate for the Presidency of the United States."
3. "That your Sex are Naturally Tyrannical is a Truth so thoroughly established as to admit of no dispute, but such of you as wish to be happy willingly give up the harsh title of Master for the more tender and endearing one of Friend."
4. "There are those who say I'm impatient, impetuous, uppity, rude, profane, brash, and overbearing...But whatever I am — and this ought to be made very clear at the outset — I am a very serious woman."
5. "The true worth of a race must be measured by the character of it womanhood."
6. "You have put me in [jail] a cub, but I will come out roaring like a lion, and I will make all hell howl!"
7. "I love man as my fellow; but his scepter, real, or usurped, extends not to me, unless the reason of an individual demands my homage; and even then the submission is to reason, and not to man."
8. "As a woman I can't go to war, and I refuse to send anybody else."
9. "Where did your Christ come from? From God and a woman. Man had nothing to do with him!"
10. "There is no hope even that woman, with her right to vote, will ever purify politics."
11. "We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men and women are created equal.
12. "I've often thought with Nixon that if he'd made the football team, his life would have been different."

Margaret Sanger  Elizabeth Cady Stanton
Bella Abzug  Sojourner Truth
Shirley Chisholm  Carrie Nation
Susan B. Anthony  Jeanette Rankin
Abigail Adams  Emma Goldman
Angela Davis  Emmeline Pankhurst
Mary McLeod Bethune  Adela Rogers St. Johns
Mary Wollstonecraft  Mathilda Gage
Answers to "Test your knowledge..."

1. Susan B. Anthony, suffrage and temperance activist, co-founder with Elizabeth Cady Stanton of the American Woman Suffrage Association; this was the motto of her suffrage periodical, founded in 1868.
2. Shirley Chisholm, first black woman in Congress; ran for president in 1972.
3. Abigail Adams, whose letters to her husband in 1776 exhorted the Continental Congress to "remember the ladies."
4. Bella Abzug, former Congressperson (who else?)
5. Mary McLeod Bethune, educator, Vice-President of the NAACP, founder of the National Council of Negro Women.
6. Carrie Nation, temperance leader frequently jailed in the 1980s for wielding a hatchet against saloons.
7. Mary Wollstonecraft, from A Vindication of the Rights of Woman (1792).
8. Jeannette Rankin, suffragist and pacifist; she became the first woman in Congress (1916).
9. Sojourner Truth, a preacher who was an outspoken advocate of abolition and women's rights.
10. Emma Goldman, anarchist, advocate of "free love" and birth control, who was deported to Russia during a red scare in 1919 as a subversive alien.
11. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Susan B. Anthony, and Mathilda Gage, from History of Woman Suffrage (1881).
12. Adela Rogers St. Johns, journalist who in 1970 was awarded the Medal of Freedom by President Richard M. Nixon.

PARTING SHOTS...

"As president, I will...advance, guarantee and promote equal rights for women...I consider the women of this nation a great source of strength, creativity, and stability. As President, I plan to recognize and utilize that source to the fullest."

Ronald Reagan, July 15, 1980

[Ronald Reagan's] administration is dedicated to an idea called a return to traditional values. This return requires a recodification of the 1950s: no abortion or legal birth control, very difficult divorce, exclusion of women from the job market and from professional education...The effect, if not the actual intent of the Reagan administration's effort would be not to drive women out of the labor force into the home, but to maintain women as a low-paid labor pool highly susceptible to economic fluctuations."

Jane O'Reilly
"The Death and Life of the ERA"
Boston Globe Magazine, July 18, 1982

FACT: Under the current job classification system, a government secretary is paid less than a government parking lot attendant. Child care workers' salaries are on a par with dog pound attendants.

FACT: The majority of college students are women (6.2 million women compared to 5.8 million men), yet women are only 25% of full-time college faculty and they are clustered at the lower professional ranks.

The movement in the late 1970s to fill management slots with women has nearly stopped, according to the Wall Street Journal. Businesses sense less federal pressure to hire and promote women as part of affirmative action requirements. The climate makes it easier for them to engage in "good ol' boy" biases.

The Wall Street Journal